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In matters prosecuted by the US Attorney's Office for the Southern District of West Virginia:



Beckley, WV – **Terrance L. Battle, 33, of Beckley, West Virginia,** was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for being a felon in possession of a firearm. Battle previously pled guilty in February, admitting he possessed a firearm in Beckley on July 2, 2004. Battle was prohibited from possessing a firearm by virtue of his 2001 felony conviction in the Superior Court of Union County, New Jersey, of possession of controlled substances. The Beckley Police Department & the US Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives conducted the investigation. Chief United States District Judge David A. Faber presided over the sentencing hearing.

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